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### Strategic Systemic Engineering Management, Creative Technical Design

Use "Profound Knowledge" to:

1) Know resource availability; 2) Know customer needs; 3) Quantify process data for maximum impact & organizational priorities; 4) Appreciate suppliers for process lubrication; 5) Reduce systemic variability early in the process ∴ cheapest & sets the baseline; 6) Find options to open-up bottlenecks; 7) Use intrinsic motivation for teamwork cohesion; 8) Create a rhythm of long-term thinking, standardization & simplification; 9) Deliver customer needs and; 10) Innovate purposely.

## **Professional Experience**

### Edge of Alignment, LLC

Pepperell, MA, USA

OVER 25 YEARS

Owner, Designer, Author, Creator

2021 - Present

Created a new language - defined its orthography & quantification; Designed numerous fonts, glyphs & runes; Created multiple architectural layouts & 3-D models; Authored numerous manuscripts & image-processing macros. Designed, crafted a 7-string musical instrument and; Created a 2-D rhythm video game; the soundtrack & artwork for PC, available on Steam.

WOODRUFF III, G. W, (2023) Liber Clear. Internet Archive. (Series of Illuminated Manuscripts)

WOODRUFF III, G. W, (2023) "The Guatama." (7-string musical instrument)

WOODRUFF III, G. W, (2022). PC-Game: Thumb-Thump. Steampowered.

#### Metamagnetics, Inc.

Marlborough, MA, USA

Manager, Engineering Operations

2023 - 2024

Defined, established, documented and engineered an entire Manufacturing Department: Equipment & Process Qualification. Executive-level, comprehensive Risk Analysis; Engineering Excellence Award champion; promoted, w/ four direct reports; statistically modeled key spec limits; and provided double-expert systems, investigations, recommendations and solutions. Coordinated and installed entire metrology, quality, manufacturing processes; leading ambassador to inter-departmental process cohesion and; the chief technical resource for DoD program management, collaborating priorities; facility layout and utility needs with manufacturing yield progress. Efficient sequential mirror-structure of soft: hard tools, trainings, 5S, BOM.

**Cleanpart East** Southbridge, MA, USA

**Process Engineer** 

2022 - 2023

Equipment & Process Qualification; Determined Systemic WIP Limitations; Modeled production as Tetris® video game; Devised Engineering 'Package' for Customer Quality organization: Wet-etch, TWAS, Texture Blast OPS.

### Skills

Software: Basic [VBA, Visual Basic, C++, C#, Steam, Unity]; CAD [IC Station, Athena, P-Spice, Prolith, LabView, Cadence, I-Deas, Solidworks, Mentor Graphics, FreeCAD]; java image processing [ImageJ]; statistics [R, JMP, Minitab, Excel, WIP] & equipment recipes [stepper jobs, laser dicing recipes]; Project Management for Engineers, AMA; Labview Core 1, 2; Markforged 3D-Printing: Form Architecture: Security Training

Hardware: Training, documentation, administration & maintenance of SEM & SAM chemical systems; managed a wastewater treatment system, laser dicers, optical profilometers, ellipsometers, wet benches, sputter systems, AFMs & resist tracks; used G & I-line steppers, evaporators, CVD & plasma tools, oxidation furnaces, ovens, hot & cold plates, stylus profilometers and optical microscopes; designed cross-section tools and adhesion testers for quality; optimized FPGA inspection / vision systems and; supported Twin-Wire Arc Spray, Texture Blast ops.

#### Education

Rochester Institute of Technology B.S. Microelectronic Engineering

2000 - 2004

Rochester, NY, USA

More Experience

Acme United - Diamond Machining Technology

Marlborough, MA, USA

Project Engineer

2018 - 2020

New Product Development, Systemic Efficiency & Tool Creation: Electroplating, 3D Printing

Vishay UltraSource Hollis, NH, USA

Senior Process Engineer 2017 – 2018

Sputter Quality & Throughput - Data cartography of systemic risk, waste & throughput

Sensera Inc. Woburn, MA, USA

Senior Process Engineer 2017

Operations Lead – Defined priorities and plans based on quantified data, resource availability & customer needs

Woodruff Research Marlborough, MA, USA

Senior Advisor 2013 - 2017

Designed "Sono-Cells" and created a software to predict systemic variability

Knowles Corporation Itasca, IL, USA

MEMS Engineer 2013 - 2016

System Integration – Combined all backend processing, metrology, facility equipment, factory support & FA with cuttingedge characterization to decrease corporate risk through cross-functional collaboration

NanoInk Inc. – NanoGuardian Skokie, IL, USA

R&D Engineer 2006 - 2013

Integration of medical device business development, machine, process ownership & manufacturing development: Nanotech

Reflexite Display Optics Rochester, NY, USA

Quality Engineering Tech 2004 - 2006

Continuous improvement of LCD module components

**Semiconductor Manufacturing Fabrication Lab** 

Rochester, NY, USA

Manufacturing Engineering Co-op

2000 - 2004

Designed, processed & tested CMOS & MEMS

Analog Devices Inc. Cambridge, MA, USA

Yield Enhancement Co-op June - Dec 2003

Programmatically organized defect information and automated an electrical test bench to pareto all killer defects

NanoPower MEMS Rochester, NY, USA

Process Engineering Co-op June - Dec 2002

SEM, AFM, CMP, liftoff processes, anodization, mask creation, stress measurements, DOEs, SU-8 & carbon nanotube processing

Ferro Electronic Materials Penn Yan, NY, USA

CMP Engineering Co-op 1999 - 2000

Slurry formation & CMP Operation; AFM super-user, interferometry & resistivity measurements